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Roosevelt Hints Allied Offensive Is Not Far Off

Another Talk
With Churchill
At Unknown Date

May Be Next Spring,
F. D. R. Indicates

By WILLIAM T. PEACOCK

WASHINGTON, May 26 (AP) — President Roosevelt dropped a hint today that the Allied offensive against Europe is not far off, saying the actions coming off this summer ought to be called the liberation rather than the invasion of Europe. In a news conference, Mr. Roosevelt also said he hoped to have another conference with Prime Minister Churchill but was indefinite as to the time.

No Definite Time Set

Asked if he expected to see the British leader this summer, he said he would be in the summer, the fall or the late spring.

"Why not winter?" a reporter asked.

He didn't like to travel, particularly on the Atlantic, in the winter, Mr. Roosevelt replied.

It was not developed whether Mr. Roosevelt, by saying the late spring, meant this year or next year—which would be after the inauguration of the president elected next fall.

In a discussion of postwar planning, Mr. Roosevelt said ideas for a postwar plan for over-all security have been reduced to a rough draft and, in response to a question, that he was finding Russia a satisfactory and co-operative collaborator.

The whole discussion began with reference to a recent editorial in the Washington Post.

Liberation, Not Invasion

Calling invasion "a common orarden episode in warfare," the editor said the assault upon Hitler's Europe was far more than that.

"It is liberation," it added. "That is a word of the heart. Let us then all this invasion the liberation—the end and not the means, the killing purpose and not the military mission, the war aim and not the battle operation."

Mr. Roosevelt said he heartily agreed.

He went on to speak of liberation as more than the military operation and recalled reading recently that it was late in the summer of 1918 before this country began a study of postwar problems.

Allied Strength
Alarms Germany

Nazi Radio Admits
Retreats in Italy

LONDON, May 26 (AP) — The German radio, admitting withdrawals in the Italian front, hinted tonight of more retreats to come, and brouched with unprecedented gloom of the Allies' "great superiority of material."

Martin von Hallensleben, DNB radio commentator, said that the sweep might of Allied tanks had forced Field Marshal Gen. Albert Kesselring to order withdrawals from front line now running through Veltellin, and admitted the Germans already were expending reserves at several weak points.

Correspondent Reinhardt Albrecht said that the "fierceness of battle and the amount of material used by the enemy recall the most difficult hours of our fathers during the battles of material of the last world war."

Ludwig Sertorius, commentator for Transocean, German propaganda agency, took to the microphone twice yesterday—an unprecedented course for him—to explain the retreats in terms of "yielding basically to the overpowering pressure, in particular, very strong masses of tanks."

Japanese Drive for Imphal Plain
Cost Them a Total of 8,500 Men

By CHARLES A. GRUMICH
SOUTHEAST ASIA HEADQUARTERS, KANDY, CEYLON, May 26 (AP) — Japanese attempts to seize the Imphal plain in India have lost 8,500 men since March and is continuing to bleed them heavily. Allied headquarters announced today, while on the monsoon-drenched North Burma front, Myitkyina the enemy still was clung desperately to all main positions in the stronghold. The slaughter was going on in the field.

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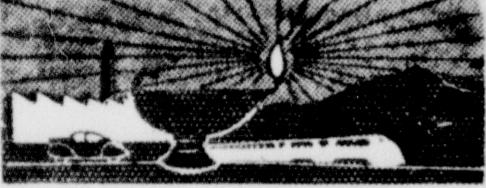


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Saturday Morning, May 27, 1944

Jacob France as GOP Committeeman

COUNSELING the delegates to the Republican state convention prior to its meeting in Baltimore, the state chairman, Galen L. Tait, pointed to the fact that the selection of a national committeeman is of especial importance. It is quite true not only in consideration of the type of man to be selected for the post, but also in light of the deplorable fact that the position has been virtually vacant for several years past and should have had a new man in it long since.

Tait declared that the committeeman selected should be a Republican of high character, mature experience and safe, sober judgment, whose selection would strongly affect the type of party leadership, action and support in the present crucial senatorial, congressional and presidential campaigns of this year as well as in the state and gubernatorial campaign of 1946.

The actual selection of the committeeman—and committeewoman—will, of course, be made by the delegates to the national convention as one of the preliminaries thereof; but the selection of Jacob France, of Baltimore, seems to be a foregone conclusion. In such a man Maryland Republicans would have a leader embodying all the qualifications set forth by the state chairman and more in addition.

France is one of the outstanding men of Baltimore, and of Maryland, being a lawyer and business executive with wide experience in both fields. He was born July 5, 1882, in Baltimore, a son of Jacob and Ida Jane (Cullimore) France and received his higher education at the University of Maryland, where he received his law degree. He was admitted to the bar in 1903 and has practiced since at Baltimore. In 1914 he married Anita Applegarth.

Among France's business connections may be noted the presidency of the Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation, and the chairmanship of the board of the Equitable Trust Company of Baltimore as well as directorships in the Maryland Title Guarantee Company and the Savings Bank of Baltimore, both of Baltimore. He is a Presbyterian.

Here is a man whose activity and leadership in business and legal affairs give assurance that he would bring a type of leadership to the party that is needed, and the Chicago convention delegates have acted wisely and with the best interests of their party at heart in centering upon him. The post is important now because it is quite likely there will be a Republican national administration at the beginning of next year, and the committeeman would accordingly be called upon to give advice and counsel in the selection of federal appointees or, in the event a Republican federal senator should not be elected, that responsibility would fall almost entirely into his hands. Republicans can rest assured that in either event France would look to ability and merit in such selections, and that the appointees would reflect credit upon the party.

Congressmen Are Facing A Tough Recess Problem

IT IS NATURAL that Congress should want to recess while its members depart for Chicago to assist in the nomination of their respective parties' candidates for president. The Republic convention, the first to meet, will begin June 26.

The government's fiscal year ends June 30. Before Congress can recess—June 20 is suggested as a convenient date—a mass of appropriation bills and other important legislation must be enacted to keep the federal establishment going.

On its face, enactment of appropriation bills alone appears to present a formidable task. The total involved totals approximately \$100,000,000,000. The navy bill, for example, well advanced toward enactment, is for \$33,000,000,000, or a sum about the size of the entire war budget of Great Britain. The amount of the army bill is still undetermined. In fact, it hasn't even cleared the House subcommittee which is handling it.

Then there are the bills for the other regular government departments. In all, but two out of sixteen major appropriation bills, required to be passed before June 30, have been enacted. That is also the expiration date of war power grants. The two most important are the Price Control and Wage Stabilization acts. Involved here are proposals to curb OPA.

Most citizens do not realize the enormous amount of hard, detailed work that is accomplished in a session of Congress.

This is not the spectacular stuff of debate, that makes headlines, but it is stuff of government itself. If it were said that the average senator or representative worked harder and worried more about his job than the average of his constituents, many people would be surprised and even resentful. But that is close to the fact.

Even if a convention recess, which would do no substantial harm to the government process, cannot be achieved, many individual members can absent themselves for the purpose of attending their convention. Although nominating conventions have no basis in the constitution or statutes, these are the methods of selecting presidential candidates, and members of Congress are entitled to participate, especially this year when so much is at stake.

Armed Service Merger Is Not Practical Now

AT THE CONCLUSION of one of the hearings on creating a single department of defense, Representative Woodrum, of Virginia, gave welcome assurance that the project to merge the army and navy will not be recommended during the war.

"There is not and never has been any idea on the part of the committee to recommend any change or reorganization now in the middle of the war that would interfere with the work of the armed services," Representative Woodrum said.

The House committee on postwar military policy is, of course, not a legislative committee, but there are those, both in and out of Congress, who would push an immediate merger of the armed services without due regard for the deteriorating effect on the war effort. It is well that this effort should be squelched.

Now is not the time to attempt a merger of the two services, even if there were substantial agreement between them, which is far from the case. There are impressive arguments on both sides which deserve mature consideration and possible future action. There is nothing urgent about the matter now except the desire of the War department to see the merger accomplished while that department is at an absolute peak of its strength.

When the war is ended the navy, with its two-ocean fleet, will again be the nation's first line of defense, which is one of the principal reasons for naval opposition to a merger now.

School Lunch Spenders Appear To Be Winning

WASHINGTON reports that Senate and House conferees have agreed on legislation extending federal aid to school lunch programs for two years and continuing the Farm Security Administration for one year beyond July 1 of this year.

If the conference report is accepted by both houses, the Agriculture department would be authorized to match funds furnished locally in each state for school lunches, and an appropriation of \$50,000,000 for the 1945 fiscal year is pending.

That would be regrettable, first, because the states and local communities of the country, and the parents of school children, are quite able to carry out a school lunch program on their own and, second, because this is just another of those little entering wedges whereby the federal administration is seeking to gain control of local education.

It may be wondered whether this handout would be authorized if this were not an election year.

It remains to be seen how much excitement can be stirred up at a national political convention when only the nominee for vice president is in doubt.

When the CIO Political Action Committee insists that it is not engaged in political action, it means that it is supporting the Great Man for a fourth term.

When the Allies capture Rome, Mussolini will not be there to do any fiddling.

Until the Doctor Comes

By MARSHALL MASLIN

Not feeling so well today? Afraid you're sick? Even wondering if you might die?

And people would be sorry? And your family would suffer and grieve? And you'd lose forever this bright new world?

O gloomy thought! O hopeless wight! How worry feels on worry and fear on fear. How a man, apprehensive and anxious, can work himself into a "state" and wreck his own joy in living!

No other creature on this earth does that. Only man has this devilish ingenuity, by thought, to make himself uncomfortable and even afraid.

The placid cow, the lively cat, the friendly dog, the darting bird—none of these ever fear the thing that has not yet happened. They take their natural, instinctive precautions and leave the unknown to care for itself, rather than to any governmental agency.

The whole episode has an unfortunate background because some of the radio commentators have gotten into controversies with members of Congress. Still it will be a sorry day in American history if the powers of Congress can be used to retaliate against those who have criticized Congress or governmental policies.

The Bill of Rights provides that Congress shall make no law abridging freedom of speech. To speak over the radio is, therefore, a right granted by the constitution.

It doesn't matter what method is used—whether an auditorium or a radio—the right to freedom of expression remains unchanged no matter what the medium.

Regulation Only Object

The proponents of the ban hold that because government issues the

notion that they are forces that fight constantly, whether you sleep or wake; for health, friendly to you, inimical to the arrangement that makes you ill. You fret and worry, you coddle yourself; you get into a state of misery and fear and you make yourself worse. "It's all very well," you say, "to advise me not to worry, but how can I stop it?"

By thinking about tin, perhaps, or about one distant star, or about sunspots, diamonds, or what a baby knows, or whether married people grow to look alike. Or anything but worrying about anxious you.

But YOU can help yourself. You can give your body a lift. Within you are forces that fight constantly, whether you sleep or wake; for health, friendly to you, inimical to the arrangement that makes you ill. You fret and worry, you coddle yourself; you get into a state of misery and fear and you make yourself worse. "It's all very well," you say, "to advise me not to worry, but how can I stop it?"

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Wheeler Radio Bill Will Run on Rocks, Lawrence Says

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, May 26.—An effort is to be made by legislation to bar news commentators from radio programs that are sponsored by advertisers.

The compromise bill to be offered in the Senate by Senator Wheeler, Democrat of Montana, chairman of the Senate committee on interstate commerce, contains such a taboo. If it is adopted, it is almost certain to run into constitutional difficulties. For if the Congress has the right to say that expressions of opinion on current subjects by

commentators may not be transmitted in time paid for by advertisers, then the Congress has the same right to declare that advertising in the newspapers or periodicals shall not contain expressions of opinion on current subjects.

Senator Wheeler, who has devoted a good deal of time to the problem, has conscientiously come to the conclusion that the ban on radio commentators on commercial programs is necessary. He does not believe that there are any constitutional barriers because he feels that radio communication is based upon the system of licenses which in turn is a government privilege.

Frankfurter Precedent

Justice Frankfurter, in a supreme

court decision last year, declared that the power to issue licenses was the power to regulate the "composition of traffic" over the air. He insisted that no issue of freedom of speech was involved in his decision,

but his opinion is being used nevertheless as a precedent—as a basis for the new legislation whereby

news commentators are to be barred from the air if they happen to appear on programs sponsored by advertisers.

It is not contended that the news

broadcasts themselves contain any

advertising for commercial sponsors,

nor have there been any instances

cited in which views of the advertiser

have been fused into the news

broadcasts. There may have been

abuses of this kind, but, in the

main, the broadcasting companies

or booking agencies have furnished

the commentators to the commercial

sponsors on the basis of the

popularity of the broadcasters. In

some instances the advertisers have

developed new commentators, believ-

ing that big audiences of listeners

would be cultivated so that the

advertising matter would be listen-

ed to by a larger and larger num-

ber of persons.

Carelessness Alleged

The proponents of the idea of banning news broadcasters from sponsored programs insist that very little care in many instances is exer-

cised in selecting broadcasters,

and that anybody can get on com-

mercially sponsored programs these

days whether or not he has news

training. All this may be true, but

the way to settle it is not by legisla-

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printed press, too, errs at times

in its selection of writers or editors.

The American people have learned

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The verdict was returned in such a manner as to indicate that all the

jurors were fully convinced, on the

basis of the evidence, that the cor-

poration was guiltless of the charges

made by the government.

Weekly Church Services

Methodist
Centre Street—Pentecost—6:30 p. m. Westminster Fellowship in the lecture hall; 7:30 p. m. Union home membership in Centre street Methodist church.

Southminster Presbyterian—The Rev. L. B. Hensley, minister—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship and sermon, 10:30 a. m.

First Presbyterian
Lancaster—the Rev. Thomas R. Dixon, Jr., pastor—10 a. m. church school, 11 o'clock, morning worship service with sermon by the pastor; 11 a. m., sermon topic: "The First Presbyterian church will unite us in our worship at 7:30 p. m., a movement in China, Our Ally," will be presented.

Kingston Methodist
Kingston—Rev. W. A. Kester, Jr., T. D., minister—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; divine worship, 11 a. m., topic: "Heroes of All"; evening worship, 7:30 o'clock, the topic: "The Symbols of the Holy Spirit."

Grace Methodist
Virginia avenue at Second street, the Rev. Charles E. Lee, pastor—Church school, 9:30 a. m.; annual memorial service for members, 11 a. m., sermon topic: "Living Past"; Vesper service broadcast over WRCO, 3 to 3:30 p. m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; subject: "Great Question."

Bethel First Methodist
Second street, the Rev. Richard L. Heimke, pastor—Church school, 9:45 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., "The Meaning of Pentecost"; 8 p. m., "A Missionary Pentecost"; Youth Fellowship, 7:15 p. m.; Evening service, 3 p. m.

Union Green Church
W. Washington street, the Rev. George E. Johnson, minister—Church school, 9:45 a. m.; divine worship, 11 a. m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.; Young Adult Fellowship, 8 p. m.; Evening service, 7:30 p. m.

First Memorial
Memorial—Morning worship, 9:45 a. m.; church school, 10 a. m.; sermon topic: "Jesus' First Prayer"; 6:45 p. m., Youth Fellowship, 7:30 p. m.; worship, sermon topic: "The Soul-Winner"; Mission Bible school in the Gospel Mission, 118 West Oldtown road, Evansport, 7:30 p. m.; Training Union, 6:30 p. m.; Evening service, 7:30 p. m., subject: "The World's Greatest Prayer."

First Baptist
Bedford street, the Rev. William B. Heimke, pastor—Church school, 9:45 a. m.; Divine worship and sermon by the pastor at 11 o'clock, subject: "A Good Witness"; Baptist Training Union will meet at 6:30 p. m.; Evening service with sermon by the pastor at 7:30 o'clock, subject: "The Unrestful State of This Present World."

Zion Evangelical and Reformed
417 North Main street, the Rev. Randolph Keeler, Jr., pastor—Church school, 9:45 a. m.; divine worship, 11 a. m., sermon topic: "A Christian Home for Every Baby"; this is a Service for Cradle Rev. James B. Musser conducting this

Roll day, the parents of all the babies are invited to spend the service with their Sisters, too, and the babies will be taken to the nursery where they will be cared for during the worship hour. Baptism Training Union, 6:30 p. m.; Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Ephesians 6:10-18. The Backsliding Church, this is the third sermon in a series on Revelation.

Lutheran
St. Paul's English Lutheran—The Rev. P. M. Naft, pastor—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; worship and sermon, 10:30 a. m.

Southminster Presbyterian
Lancaster—the Chord of Memory, as his name, special music will be presented by the vested choir directed by Dr. H. H. Higham. The congregation will unite us in our worship at 7:30 p. m., a movement in China, Our Ally," will be presented.

Living Stone Church of the Brethren
Corner of West Second and North Cedar streets, Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. and 7 p. m.; period at 9:30 a. m.

First Ashby Presbyterian
Church school, 10 a. m.; preaching service, 8 p. m., sermon by the Rev. Melvin N. Fuier, Elmira, N. Y.

Baptist
Elmira—Rev. W. A. Kester, Jr., T. D., minister—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; divine worship, 11 a. m., topic: "Heroes of All"; evening worship, 7:30 o'clock, the topic: "The Symbols of the Holy Spirit."

Second Baptist
Fourth and Arch streets, Edward P. Heimke, pastor—Whitunday—Church school, 9:45 a. m. and adult Bible classes, 11 a. m.; worship and sermon, 11 a. m., sermon topic: "Pentecostal Blessings"; Luther League service, 6:45 p. m.; vespers service, 7:30 p. m.; sermon meditation, "Spiritual Warfare."

St. John's Lutheran
Fourth and Arch streets, Edward P. Heimke, pastor—Whitunday—Church school, 9:45 a. m. and adult Bible classes, 11 a. m.; worship and sermon, 11 a. m., sermon topic: "The Call of Emmanuel"; Evening service, 7:30 p. m.; sermon, "The Charge Against the Early Christians."

Emmanuel
16 Washington street, Holy Communion at 10 a. m.; service, 10:30 a. m.; vespers service, 6:30 p. m.; sermon by the Rev. Walter K. Lloyd, of Baltimore; church study and

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Trinity Lutheran
North Centre at Smith street, the Rev. Edwin W. Saylor, pastor—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; adult Bible classes, 11 a. m.; worship, 11 a. m., sermon and sermon topic: "The Call of Emmanuel"; Evening service, 7:30 p. m.; vespers, 8:30 p. m.

First Baptist
Bedford and Columbia streets, the Rev. H. T. Bowersox, D. D., pastor—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; worship and sermon, 11 a. m., sermon topic: "The Call of Emmanuel"; Evening service, 7:30 p. m.; sermon, "The Charge Against the Early Christians."

First Baptist
Harrison—Rev. Alfred L. Creaser, pastor—Morning worship, 10 a. m.; service, 11 a. m., sermon by pastor; "Our Lord Our Need"; 6:30 p. m., Youth Fellowship, 7:30 o'clock, evening worship service, "Let Goodness Conquer."

First Baptist
417 North Main street, the Rev. Alfred L. Creaser, pastor—Morning worship, 10 a. m.; service, 11 a. m., sermon by pastor; "Our Lord Our Need"; 6:30 p. m., Youth Fellowship, 7:30 o'clock, evening worship service, "Let Goodness Conquer."

First Baptist
403—North Main street—Church school, 9:45 a. m.; no morning worship; Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock, with the Rev. James B. Musser conducting this

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service. This is a special Memorial service and which members of Fort Cumberland Post, No. 1, American Legion, will attend and take part.

Brethren
First Brethren—The Rev. B. M. Rollins, evangelist service, 10:45 a. m., service by the Rev. B. M. Rollins.

Episcopal
Holy Cross Episcopal—The Rev. P. M. Naft, pastor—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.; morning worship and Lord's Supper, 10:45 a. m.; evening service, 7:30 o'clock.

Other Churches
First Christian—312 Bedford street, Ray L. Henthorne, B. D., minister—Bible school with classes and departments for all ages, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship and Lord's Supper, 10:45 a. m.; evening service, 7:30 o'clock.

Church of God
420 Virginia Avenue—Revival meeting now in progress, will continue through June 4. M. J. King, Johnstown, Pa., evangelist.

Christian Science
Washington street—Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced—will be the subject of the Bible lesson-sermon in all churches, 10:45 a. m.; service, 11 a. m.

Christian and Missionary Alliance
123 South Lee street, minister, the Rev. W. A. Kester, Jr., T. D., minister—Sunday school, 10:45 a. m.; devotional hour, 7:00 p. m.; prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.; songs and praise service, 8: evangeli-

cal services.

Calvary Christian
Cresson—E. Rosner, pastor, 9:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:45 a. m.; morning service, sermon will be preached by the Rev. W. A. Kester, Jr., T. D., minister—Sunday school, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 11 a. m.; service, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 11 a. m.; service, 11 a. m.; Communion at 11:45 a. m.; Evening J. Edgar Walter, pastor, Bethel church.

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Deer Park Girl Will Be Married Here Today

Miss Vauda Mae Paugh Will Become Bride of Maj. Robert Owendoff

Miss Vauda Mae Paugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Paugh, Deer Park, will become the bride of Maj. Robert Albert Owendoff, Fort Riley, Kans., son of Mrs. Bertha Owendoff, Brooklyn, N.Y., today.

The ceremony will be solemnized at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Fort Cumberland hotel, with the Rev. Robert Greynolds, pastor of the Cumberland church, officiating. Mrs. Gladys Seiber, Deer Park will be Miss Paugh's matron of honor and only attendant.

Major Owendoff is a graduate of Cooper Union college, New York city, and New York university. Prior to entering the service in 1939 he was employed by the Power Machine Company of New York City.

He is attached to the chemical warfare division and has been stationed at Washington, D.C. Edgewood Arsenal, Camp Seibert, Ala., Camp Polk, La., Dallas, Texas, Fort Benning, Ga., and Fort Riley.

Following a wedding dinner and reception the couple will leave for a short wedding trip after which they will reside near Fort Riley.

The bride will be attired in a pale white dress, with which she will wear a corsage of pink.

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Personals

Mrs. R. F. Potter, 850 Greene street, is visiting her sister, Miss Mary Cunningham in New York City.

Helen Anthony, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Anthony, 307 Bedford street, is improving in Allegany hospital, where she has been critically ill.

Mr. Alston Robinette, Jr. and daughter, Carol Fern, from Warrens, Wis., are visiting at the home of Alston Robinette, Sr., Long, Sgt. Alston Robinette, Jr., is now stationed at Long Beach, Calif.

Sgt. William H. Summers, Lakeland, Fla., is spending fifteen-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Summers, Cresaptown, Cpl. Bradford J. Wheistone, San Bernardino, Calif., is spending a twenty-day furlough at the home of his grandfather, L. W. Crowe, Lakewood.

Mrs. S. H. Jenkins, Baltimore Pike, and daughter, Mrs. Helen Dawson, 316 Harrison street, returned from a visit with Mrs. Alfred Rice, Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. Rachael Wiggans, New York City, is at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. E. Morrison, Arch street, who has been ill. Hollie Scott and family, Rowlesburg, also visited Mrs. Morrison.

Templar Class Will Give Picnic June 1

The Templar Sunday School class of the First Presbyterian church will hold a picnic at 6 o'clock June 1 at Constitution Park; in the event of rain it will be held at the church house.

The picnic will mark the closing of activities until fall. Mrs. R. F. Potter is president of the class, Mrs. Thomas Lohr the treasurer; Mrs. Isaac R. Likin, chairman of recreation, assisted by Mrs. Alvin H. Storey.

All members are asked to bring a covered dish, except those who have been told to bring sandwiches.

Officers Are Elected By LaVale P.T.A. Group

Year's Attendance Award Is Won by Miss Mary Smith's First Grade

The LaVale Parent-Teacher Association elected officers for the ensuing year, selected a delegate to the State Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations; discussed reorganizing the LaVale Clubs, and received reports at the meeting Thursday evening with A. N. Billings presiding.

R. Snyder was elected and installed as president. Other officers are: Stanley Buckley, vice president; Mrs. Edward Glynn, second vice president; Mrs. Randolph Schry, secretary and Mrs. Louis Spoerl, treasurer.

The officers were installed by Mrs. George Miller, president of the County Council of Parent-Teacher Association, who also gave a short talk, urging the parents to keep interest in the Parent-Teacher Association, as the primary interest of the Parent-Teacher Association is protecting children.

Snyder Announces Slogan

Mr. Snyder announced his slogan for the year would be, "Plan Your Work and Work Your Plan." He appointed Mrs. Stanley Buckley chairman of the Planning committee for the year's program, and the group elected her as delegate to the meeting of the Maryland Congress of Parent-Teachers Association to be held at College Park, July 18, 19 and 20.

Kenneth Jackson, scout secretary, Boy Scouts of America, Potomac Council; Bradley Kehoe, assistant leader of the LaVale troop; and James Thayer, district commissioner in scouting were guests of the association and each spoke on scouting and a program for reorganizing the LaVale Cubs. A pack with six dens was organized about two years ago by a committee composed of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin H. Storey, John McDonald, Harry A. Smith, cub master, and Wilfred Anderson, and was sponsored by the Parent-Teacher association.

All interested parents are asked to attend an organization meeting which will be held at 8 o'clock Monday evening at the firemen's hall. The new pack will be sponsored by the LaVale Volunteer Fire Company, which is also sponsoring a scout troop which was organized early this year.

Mrs. Louis Spoerl, chairman of the stamp and bond committee announced that the school had bought \$2,100 stamps and bonds, competing in the American Legion campaign.

Musical Program Given
The Year's Attendance award was won by Miss Mary Smith's first grade, and the prize will be an entertainment at a party to be given by the association. Mrs. Daty R. Rosenmerkle's fourth grade

will crown the queen.

The queen's court will include June Nixon, Ann Poling, Norma Lovell, Barbara Britt, Genevieve Twigg and Delores Klosterman, as her attendants; Patricia Garvin, Claudette Campbell, Carole Ann Long and Barbara Campbell as flower girls; Patrick Goss and Robert Carter will be the color guard; Ronald Davis and Thomas Reckley, trumpeters; Janice Bierman, trainbearer and Norris Appel, crown bearer.

A program of singing and dancing will be presented with every class represented. The festival under the sponsorship of the Parent-Teacher association, will be held at the conclusion of the program.

John Humbird P.T.A. Will Meet June 2

The final meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the John Humbird school will be held at 7:30 o'clock June 2 in the school auditorium.

After the business session the Glee Club under the direction of Miss Grace Swanson will present a special musical program. The program will consist of two-part songs, Girls' chorus and selections by the tonette band.

Teachers will be in their rooms to visit with the parents preceding the meeting.

Miss Louise Logsdon, Malibu Beach, Calif., native of this city is visiting her father, Anthony L. Logsdon and family, LaVale.

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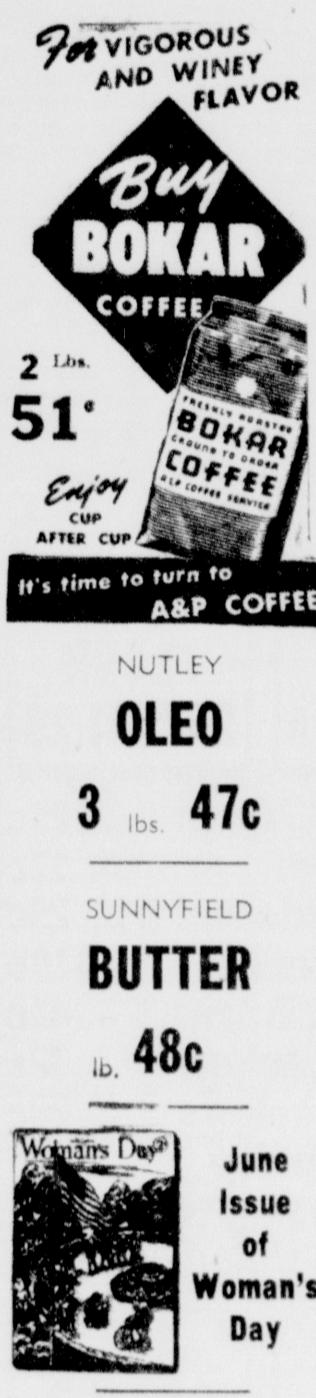
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dexo Shortening	3	Lb. Pkg.	61c
Sunnyfield			
Flour	1.97	50-lb. Sack	99c
Ann Page			
Beans	3	Boston Style 18-oz. Cans	25c
Nectar			
Tea	34c	1/2-lb. Pkg.	
Ann Page			
Macaroni	3	Lb. Pkg.	25c
Daily Growth			
Peanut Butter	43c	2-lb. Jar	
Sunnyfield			
Corn Flakes	2	18-oz. Pkgs.	19c
Daily Growth			
Chick Starter	3.99	100-lb. Bag	
A-Penn			
Growing Mash	3.79	100-lb. Bag	
Motor Oil			
2-Gal. Can	1.24		
Sultana, Pineapple			
Preserves	22c	1-lb. Jar	
Ann Page			
Mustard	14c	16-oz. Jar	
Ann Page			
Plain Olives	19c	4 1/4-oz. Bottle	
White House Evaporated			
Milk	10	Tall Cans	85c
Ideal for Infant Feeding			
Ann Page			
Grape Jelly	16c	12-oz. Glass	
Ann Page			
Grape Jam	39c	2-lb. Jar	
Ann Page			
Garden Relish	14c	10-oz. Bottle	
Yukon Club			
Beverages	4	29-oz. Bottles	48c
Daily Kennel			
Meal	32c	5-lb. Bag	
Ann Page			
Ketchup	14c	14-oz. Jar	
Ann Page			
Salad Dressing	22c	Pint Bottle	

Ann Page	Vanilla Extract	2-oz. bottle	32c
Ann Page	Baking Powder	12-oz. can	12c
Sunnyfield	Cake Flour	2 3/4-lb. box	20c
Campbell's	Tomato Soup	2 No. 1 cans	25c
Waldorf	Toilet Tissue	6 rolls	25c
Old Dutch	Cleanser	3 14-oz. cans	20c
Tang	Luncheon Meat	12-oz. can	33c
Gold Medal or Pillsbury	Flour	50-lb. sack	2.49
		25-lb. sack	1.25
HIRE'S ROOT BEER EXTRACT		3-oz. bottle	24c
BOND DILL PICKLES		quart jar	22c
BOND SWEET PICKLES		pint jar	20c
CUT-RITE WAX PAPER		2 13 1/2-ft. rolls	29c
GOLD MEDAL BISQUICK		20-oz. box	17c
ARMOUR'S TREET		15-oz. can	35c
CIGARETTES	POPULAR BRANDS	carton	1.31
SWEETHEART SOAP		2 boxes	13c
COLONIAL GINGER SNAPS		1-lb. pkgs.	24c
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**Rye
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24-oz.
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**Marvel
Sandwich
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of 8

Donuts

6—Plain
6—Sugared

15c



Layer Cake . . . **47c**

Orange Pineapple

Coffee Cake . . . **25c**

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pkg.

Assorted Cereals

Ten Individual
Packages

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California

Lemons 300's doz. **39c** : 360's doz. **33c**

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Pineapples . . . 36's each **23c**

Florida

New Potatoes . . . 5 lbs. **31c**

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Strawberries . . . qt. **43c**

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Bananas lb. **11c**

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The Best Quality
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Fresh, Fully Dressed (Head and Feet Off)

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Hamburger lb. **25c** Slab Bacon Whole or Piece lb. **27c**

Wilson's B. V. With a free 7-oz. pkg. of Ann Page Macaroni jar **25c**

Assorted Meat Loaves type 3 lb. **29c**

Tender Frankfurters H. C. and Skinsless Type 1 and 2 lb. **35c**

Lebanon Bologna By the Piece lb. **39c** Sliced lb. **43c**

Bologna Ring, Long and Jumbo lb. **32c**

Spiced Luncheon Meat Sliced lb. **50c**

Spiced Ham Sliced lb. **55c** Dill Pickles 3 for **5c**

CAMAY
SOAP
3 cakes **20c**

OXYDOL
SOAP POWDER
Large Box **23c**

SWAN
SOAP
3 Large cakes **29c**

ULTRA REFINED
CLOROX
Quart Bottle **18c**

IVORY
SNOW
Large Box **23c**

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SOAP POWDER
Large Box **23c**

IVORY
SOAP
3 Large cakes **29c**

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Large Box **23c**

The Cumberland News

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Boy Scout Troops To Hold Camporee West of Frostburg

Mt. Savage Lions Elect New Officers

By CATHERINE O'ROURKE

MT. SAVAGE, May 26—Edward J. Conway was re-elected president of the Mt. Savage Lions Club at a meeting last night in St. George's parish hall. Other officers re-elected are: Dr. B. O. Cooley, vice president and Harry Poland, secretary. These officers were elected several months ago when the club was organized and it was unanimously voted last night to have them continue for full term.

At the business session a letter was read from Dr. J. C. Mosley, stating that he would open an office in Mt. Savage June 7. The Lions club has worked diligently since its formation in order to secure the services of a resident physician in the community. For the past year citizens have had to depend on the services of Cumberland physicians.

Dr. Winter R. Frantz, Allegany County Health Department, was the speaker and outlined the work of the department and stressed the importance of co-operation on the part of the citizens in making a success of its efforts. Zone Leader Joseph Trenton, President Timmons and several members of the Cumberland Lions Club were guests at the meeting. It was decided that official club committees will be appointed at an early date.

Harmon Lashbaugh Dies

Harmon Lashbaugh died this morning at 9 o'clock, at his home in Old Row after a lingering illness. Mr. Lashbaugh was a resident of Mt. Savage for a number of years and was a member of the Mt. Savage Methodist church. He is survived by his wife, two sons, Walter and Wilbert Lashbaugh, and one daughter, Mrs. Charles Robertson.

Funeral services will be held Sunday, at 2 p.m., at the Mt. Savage Methodist church, with the Rev. Harris Waters, officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Brief Item

The meeting of the Mt. Savage Girl Scouts, scheduled for Tuesday evening, at the Methodist recreation hall, has been cancelled.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pineckie and children, Billie and Lou Ann, Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Malloy.

MINISTER IS NAMED CHAIRMAN OF RELIGIOUS GROUP

WESTERNPORT, May 26—The Rev. Foster M. Bittinger, minister of the Church of the Brethren, has been appointed to serve as city chairman here for the "mobilization for spiritual ideals," Dr. James W. Fife, national director of the movement announced yesterday.

Headquarters of the movement is in Los Angeles and is one through which clergymen of all denominations have organized to oppose the state trend which is considered to be pagan and anti-Christian, Dr. Fife said.

The governing board consisting of nationally known figures serves in an advisory way. There are 500 city chairmen in the nation and two million Americans have subscribed to the ideals of the mobilization since its inception in 1934.

cemetery will be held at 10:15 a.m. under auspices of the Eckhart cemetery committee. The Rev. John R. Wilson, pastor of the Eckhart Methodist church, will deliver the address. Louis Emerick, Jr., will recite Lincoln's Gettysburg address and vocal numbers will be rendered by the combined choirs of the Eckhart Methodist and Baptist churches.

Frostburg Personals

William H. Lewis, Frost avenue, has been spending the past week in Baltimore, the guest of Dr. Arthur York.

Lt. and Mrs. Herman Paul Wagner, Waco, Texas, arrived here this week and are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wagner, Washington street, this city, and her mother, Mrs. Helen Vandegrift, Cumberland. Lt. Wagner will report to Camp Lee, Va., next week.

Miss Mary Virginia Davis, who resigned from her position in Washington on account of illness, was received at Miners hospital this week for treatment. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Davis, East Main street.

Miss Elsie (Kight) Lloyd, Muncie, Pa., arrived here today to visit her aunt, Mrs. Harry Kight, Frost avenue. She is a former resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Van Horn, Mrs. Jack Edmunds, Mrs. Charles Geis, Mrs. Andrew Nelson and the Misses Pearl and Margaret Hendley, member of Mountain Chapter, No. 15, Order of the Eastern Star, were in Hancock last evening, attending the installation of new chapter of the order.

Ph. Mate 2-C Bernard M. Leese, of the Norfolk General Hospital, on a twenty-day furlough, returned to his home, 117 East Main street, after visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Rebecca Whitacre, Loom, W. Va. He will visit friends in Baltimore before returning to his base, at Portsmouth, Va., for assignment.

The annual service at the Eckhart

Three Oakland Soldiers Missing, Relatives Advised In Westernport

Two Airmen, Infantryman Listed in Army Reports To Next of Kin

By GEORGE H. HANST

OAKLAND, May 26—Three soldiers, two of them members of the army air force, stationed in England, and one an infantry soldier, in Italy, were reported missing in action this week.

Staff Sgt. Harold G. Schell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schell, of near Oakland, is missing in action, somewhere over Germany, since April 11; his parents have been informed.

Sgt. Schell, better known as Glenn Schell, enlisted in the army air force Jan. 12, 1942, and was sent to England on January 7, 1944. He was a gunner on a Flying Fortress when reported missing.

Pfc. Charles Bond Harshbarger, 21, of Piedmont, W. Va., has been listed as missing since Feb. 23. He is a son of Mrs. Louise Pence Harshbarger and a grandson of the late Theodore and Louisa Beckman, of Swanton. He has other relatives in Garrett county. He was inducted into the service last March, and landed in Italy Jan. 29.

The War department also notified Mrs. Rosaline T. McKinney, of Aurora, W. Va., that her husband, Second Lt. John C. McKinney, of the army air forces, had been missing in action over France since May 9.

Pupils Give Operetta

Pupils of the Oakland elementary school completed the presentation of the operetta, "Rip Van Winkle," in the school auditorium this evening. They also gave the same performance last night.

Hervey Russell Smouse played the part of Rip Van Winkle, and Vivian Paugh the part of Dame Van Winkle. Other main characters included Betty Jo Smouse, George Hanst, Mary T. Taylor, Wayne Pitts, Guy Simmons, Donald Skipper, Mahlon Yost and Kermit Helm.

Others in the play included Thelma Jean Frantz, Mildred Biser, Mary Lee Smouse, as children of the village; Mary Virginia Gower and Jean Schlossnagle as mothers; Paul Thomas and Robert Dodge, men of the village; Charlotte Davis, Benny Field, Jack Right, Robert Stockslager, Delores Swartzentruber and Ann Browne, gnomes; Homer Bennett, Frederick Thayer, Robert Pike, Robert Schell, William Wolfe, Jacob Butcher, Richard Leighton, Willis DeBerry, Wayne Johnson, soldiers; Dickie Criss, Gladys Wensel, Nancy Shop, Norma Browning, Lester Root, Tommy Wainer, Indians.

The committee in charge of stage decorations and scenery included Jacob Butcher, David Whittaker, Eloise Rumer, Margaret Schaffer, Nancy Landon, Richard Sprague, Della Biggs, Laura Werdebaugh and Elmer Litzenberg. There were selections by the school band and a dance by Theresa and Patsy Nine, between acts.

Has Fine Iris Display

One of the largest and most unusual displays of iris, grown in this entire area, may now be seen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harned, Green street.

Harned has specialized in the growing of various kinds of iris for the past fifteen years and at present has from 500 to 600 different varieties of the flower in his garden. He is a member of the American Iris Society and just recently returned from Roanoke, Va., where he viewed the extensive iris gardens of the national vice-president of the society.

Pallbearers were: Edward Pendergast, John Niland, Owen, Charles Williams and John Kelly, James Niland and John Dugan.

Kelly Rites Held

Funeral services for Owen Kelly, 83, formerly of Piedmont, husband of the late Mary Ann Kelly, who was found dead in bed Wednesday morning at the home of his son, Joseph Kelly, Parkersburg, W. Va., with whom he resided were held this morning at St. Peter's Catholic church here at 9 o'clock. Requiem mass was celebrated by the Rev. Leon Warczinski, assistant pastor. Interment was in St. Peter's cemetery.

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Marriage Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. Bowers, East Hampshire street, Piedmont, announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Josephine, to Staff Sgt. Edward F. Redmer at Trinity Evangelical church, Baltimore, May 7 by the Rev. R. Klinefelter. The double ring ceremony was used.

Miss Ruth Robison, Baltimore, formerly of Piedmont, was bridegroom and Eddie Suksta, husband of Isabelle Jones Suksta, formerly of Westernport, was best man.

The bride wore an orchid costume with black and white accessories and a corsage of yellow roses. Miss Robison was attired in aqua blue with black and white accessories and a corsage of assorted flowers.

The couple spent their honeymoon at Harrisburg, Pa., where they visited the bride's father, who is employed there. Sgt. Redmer returned to Fort Dix, N. J.

Mrs. Redmer, who was formerly employed with the G. C. Murphy company store, Piedmont, is now employed in the filing department of the Glen L. Martin plant, Baltimore.

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The program is under the direction of the American Legion and the Knights of Pythias organizations.

There will be a parade at 9:45 a.m. starting from the City Hall, and covering Third, Crook, Second, Alder to Third, Third to Oak, Oak to Fifth, thence to the cemetery, as in previous years. Members of the two sponsoring groups will participate as well as the fire department, pupils of both Oakland high and elementary schools and possibly other organizations.

Graves of deceased Legionnaires and Pythians will be decorated and there will be a short Memorial day address before the tomb of the unknown soldier.

Banks and the post office will remain closed all day, Memorial day, and practically all the stores and other places of business are planning to do the same.

In the evening the Oakland firemen and band will go to Kitzmiller to participate in the celebration there, at which time a new fire house will be formally dedicated.

Thomas Footen Dies Suddenly Relatives Advised In Westernport

Heart Attack Is Fatal to
Former George's Creek
League Pitcher

By GEORGE HADDOXMAN

WESTERNPORT, May 26—Funeral services for Thomas Joseph Footen, 52, 434 Hammond street, who dropped dead this morning at 12:20 o'clock will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Peter's Catholic church. Interment will be in St. Peter's cemetery.

He was en route home from his lunch room on Maryland avenue, accompanied by his son-in-law, Carl Nichols, who is employed at the restaurant, when he was struck near the intersection of Hammond and Rock street. He summoned Mr. Shaw who took him to a physician's office who pronounced him dead.

He was a son of the late James and Mary Jane (Maloy) Footen, a native of Barton, and had lived here thirty-two years. He was a baseball pitcher for the Piedmont team in the George's creek league from 1909-15. After retiring from baseball he served as an umpire. He was a member of Piedmont Aerie No. 707 Fraternal Order of Eagles and St. Peter's Catholic church.

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Ginny is one of the few women to be given honorary rank by the marines. But "Sergeant Ginny Simms" was the way Uncle Sam's marines said "Thanks for the melodeon."

Now Ginny goes glamorous in the new film with George Murphy, Tommy Dorsey and his band, Charles Winniger and a star-studded supporting cast. For her role as a Hollywood movie actress, Ginny wears an extensive wardrobe of Irene-designed clothes.

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Maxie Rosenbloom, Nova, Seen in "Swing Fever"

Lou Nova, former contender for the heavyweight boxing title, went in swinging at a new career recently—in movies.

He is cast as a fighter in M-G-M's "Swing Fever," now showing at the Maryland theater, with Kay Kyser, Marilyn Maxwell, William Gargan and a flock of pugs, including his old ring opponent, Maxie Rosenbloom.

Nova is training for another crack at the championship if and when Joe Louis is permitted by the army to defend it.

Appearing with Nova are several former well-known pugilistic greats including Jack Roper, Sammy Stein and others of lesser note Tim

Whelan directed the picture which stars Kyser as a musician in a comedy of the big time, cauliflower industry. Irving Starr produced.

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LaSalle Tossers Close Season By Walloping Allegany, 16 to 2

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Allegany	1	6	.143

YESTERDAY'S RESULT

LaSalle 16, Allegany 2

GAMES YESTERDAY

Beall at Hyndman

Wednesday

Fort Hill at Allegany

(End of season)

LaSalle high's city scholastic baseball champions closed their 1944 campaign yesterday afternoon by administering a 16-2 wallop to the Allegany High Campers on the Campobello field.

The triumph assures the Explorers of at least a tie for first place in the final standing of the Bi-State Conference and if the Beall High Mountaineers, of Frostburg, should lose to Hyndman (Pa.) high at Hyndman next Monday, the Blue and Gold would annex the championship it shared last season with the Fort Hill High Sentinels. A Beall triumph over Hyndman would move the Mountaineers into a first-place deadlock with LaSalle.

Yesterday, the Explorers backed up Jack Kauffman's four-hit twirl with a twenty-one blow assault on two Allegany moundsmen—Lou Baker, who started the tussle and then returned to the mound in the last frame, and Jim Evans.

LaSalle, in winding up its season, scored in every inning except the sixth and more than batted around in the seventh to rack up eight tallies. Evans went to Baker's rescue at the start of the sixth with the latter going to shortstop but with two out in the seventh, Baker was called to the hill again and retired Joe Carter to end the LaSalle spree.

Kaufman, who won his fourth game against one defeat, yielded three of Allegany's four hits and both runs in the third. Johnny Cox doubled and scored on Dick DeHart's single. Evans then lashed out a two-bagger to send DeHart home.

In LaSalle's big seventh, Norman Geatz doubled and advanced on an infield out, Clay "Red" Ingram walked. Carter was hit by a pitched ball. Tommy Geatz doubled. Joe Langan and Kauffman singled. Jim Fahey doubled. Jack Steiner and Norman Geatz singled. Charley Cumiskey flied out. Ingram doubled in his second appearance of the frame to send Evans to the showers and Carter lifted a fly to center to end the merry-go-round.

Ingram's base on balls, an infield out and Tommy Geatz's homer between center and right gave the Explorers two runs in the first. Another pair of tallies came in the second when Kauffman singled, Fahey banged out the first of two doubles and Norman Geatz singled.

In the third, Tommy Geatz walked and stole second. Kauffman singled, an error by George Mothersole advanced Kauffman to second and Fahey singled. Ingram's single and

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Hospital Shows Will Be on Two Radio Networks

Opera Stars Are Booked for Program on the Blue

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD

NEW YORK. May 26 (AP)—Each Saturday, in the hour from 3 to 4 p.m., there are two hospital shows on two networks. First at 3 comes *This Is Halloran*, with Tom Lomax, sports announcer in charge of a general variety edition.

The other program, *Visiting Hour*, on CBS is at 3:30, also a variety effort, with guests added. This time there will be Private Spuds Chandler, former big league pitcher, and Benay Venuta. It will come from Dillon General Hospital at Ft. Dix.

The Spotlight bands, Blue at 9:30 as dispensed by Tommy Dorsey, actually will be a half-hour of a six and a half-hour dance carnival for defense workers at Chicago.

Opera Stars Booked

Both Lawrence Tibbett and Helen Jepson will be the singing guests from the opera stage of Music America Loves Best on the Blue at 7:30. They will do several popular numbers.

Guest speaker of this week's Victory F. O. B. on CBS at 3 is William Green, president of A. F. of L.

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Sunday Radio Clock

SUNDAY, MAY 28
(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections in networks made too late to incorporate.)
Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT, 2 Hrs. for MWT.

12-10—The Paul Lavallo Concert—nbc
Trans-Atlantic Call Exchange—nbc
12-10—Helen Hayes—nbc
The Lutheran Half-Hour—mbc—basic

12-10—Moynan Sisters and Vocals—nbc

12-10—Voices of the Dairy Farmer—nbc

12-10—B. Kennedy in Commentary—nbc

12-10—Labor for Victory, Guests—nbc

12-10—Mary, Dramatic Series—nbc

12-10—U. of Chicago Roundtable—nbc

12-10—Missouri Barn Dance Show—nbc

12-10—Saturday Evening Post—nbc

12-10—Chicago's Theater of Concert—nbc

12-10—Can You Top This, Gags—nbc

12-10—Spaghetti Bands, Guest Orches—nbc

12-10—People's War H. Fleming—nbc

12-10—Music Remembrance, Vocals—nbc

12-10—Truth or Consequence Quiz—nbc

12-10—Inner Sanctum Mystery Drama—nbc

12-10—The Cisco Kid, Drama of West—nbc

12-10—Five Minutes News Period—nbc

12-10—National Barn Dance Show—nbc

12-10—Saturday Evening Post—nbc

12-10—Chicago's Theater of Concert—nbc

12-10—The Grand Old Opry Show—nbc

12-10—Archie Sanjour's Story—nbc

12-10—Fifteen Minute Talk Time—nbc

12-10—Len Chene and Commentary—nbc

12-10—News Varieties, Dance, Music & Melodies; Dance Variety (G. n.)—nbc

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Highlight of the Chicago Theater symphony orchestra, conducted by Henry Weber for MBS at 9, will be Vivaldi's concerto in D Minor. Also there will be Beethoven's Eighth Symphony.

Two sections of horse race broadcasting will be available, CBS and Ted Husing as well as MBS and Bryan Field will be a Belmont, N.Y., at 4:15. NBC sends Clem Mc-

Carty to Cleveland at 5:30 for the running of the Ohio Derby.

A drama of the signal corps is the announced feature for Army Service Forces Presents on the Blue at 10:30.

Saturday Radio Clock

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Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT, 2 Hrs. for MWT. (Changes in programs as listed due to corrections in networks made too late to incorporate.)

12-00—Musicians by Gallicchio Or—nbc
Calling Pan-American—nbc
Hawaiian Islands—Orchestra—blue

12-00—Grandland Rides and Sports—nbc

12-00—Music Box Orchestra—blue

12-00—Minstrel Melodies 30 min.—nbc

12-00—Vocalists—blue

12-00—You, Langage—Quiz—blue

12-00—Visiting Time; Ted Husing—blue

12-00—Jackie Murphy's Carnival Variety—blue

12-00—London Washington Report—blue

12-00—Horace Heidt Or—blue

12-00—Music Box Orchestra 45 min.—nbc

12-00—Belmont Races—McCarthy—nbc

Horse Racing Broadcast 13 min.—nbc

12-00—Colonel Putts on a Show—nbc

Carl Ravizza and Orchestra—nbc

12-00—Your America, Come Talks—nbc

12-00—Music Box Orchestra—blue

12-00—Cesar Saenger's Talk—blue

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Big Guest List

The Bell's Hall of Fame calls attention to the fact that its guest roster at 6 p.m. is to include Al Jolson, Eddie Cantor, Kate Smith, and Benny Goodman's quartet . . . Among some of the other guests: Orson Welles with Charlie McCarthy.

Orson Welles with Charlie McCarthy, Mrs. C.R. Criswell, Cumberland, Md., and George Hamilton's orchestra in Bid for Victory via CBS at 2 p.m.; Ida Lupino doing "A Kiss for Cin-

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Seniors of Fort Hill Will Hear Brethren Pastor

Eisenberger Will Speak at Allegany; LaSalle To Graduate 29 Sunday

The Rev. B. M. Rollins, pastor of the Living Stone Church of the Brethren, will deliver the sermon to the members of the graduating class of Fort Hill high school tomorrow at 2:30 p.m., in the school auditorium.

Responsive and scripture readings will be given by the Rev. C. K. Welch, pastor of the Bethany United Brethren church while the Rev. Joseph W. Young, pastor of the Cumberland Methodist Circuit, will pronounce the invocation and benediction.

Graduates of Allegany high school will hear the baccalaureate sermon to be delivered by the Rev. William A. Eisenberger, pastor of the First Presbyterian church tomorrow at 2:30 p.m., in the school auditorium. The invocation and benediction will be given by the Rev. Alfred L. Creager, pastor of St. Mark's Reformed church.

LaSalle To Graduate 29

Twenty-nine graduates of LaSalle high school will receive diplomas at the school's thirty-fifth annual commencement exercises tomorrow at 8 p.m., in Carroll hall, where Eugene T. Gunning, local newspaperman, will be the guest speaker. The Rev. Lawrence P. Landrigan, of St. Mary's church, will preside.

Joseph Mattingly is the valedictorian. Brother Dacian Stephen, F.S.C., principal, will present diplomas and prizes.

Will Attend Mass

Members of the graduating class will attend mass in St. Patrick's church at 8:30 a.m., where the sermon will be delivered by the Rev. W. Joyce Russell, assistant pastor of St. Mary's church.

Playground Group Has Initial Meeting

Matters pertaining to the 1944 playground program were discussed at an initial meeting of a committee named by Mayor Thomas S. Post, yesterday. Due to short notice only a small number were present but satisfaction was expressed by those present that something worthwhile was accomplished in getting the matter started.

It was decided to send a request to Patrick N. Binford, regional director of the Federal Security Administration, for a survey. This survey would be at no expense to the city and would help get the project started, it was pointed out.

Ross W. Prysock, formerly of Wheeling, W. Va., explained the playground setup there and the great success which followed the experiments made there a number of years ago. It was decided to invite Warren Pugh, Wheeling director of recreation to come to Cumberland at the time Binford is here, if possible.

Present at the meeting was the mayor, Mrs. Orville Pier, Everett Johnson, secretary of the YMCA, Charles E. Bramble, and John Heller.

Everett Woman Is Held for Murder

EVERETT, Pa., May 26 (AP)—Mrs. Cleo Mellott, 30, was in the Bedford county jail tonight awaiting preliminary hearing on a charge of murder in the fatal shooting of Mrs. Charlotte Ziger, a 29-year-old mother of two children.

District Attorney Paul Koontz filed the murder charge against Mrs. Mellott after an investigation at the scene of the shooting—a three-family apartment house—last night.

Koontz said Mrs. Ziger was shot with a .22 caliber pistol as she stood in the hallway between her kitchen and that of Mrs. Mellott.

Coroner Vernon Geisel said Mrs. Mellott admitted to him she had fired the pistol, adding: "She said Mrs. Ziger came toward her with a sixteen-inch piece of lead pipe. Mrs. Mellott said she was only trying to frighten Mrs. Ziger and did not intend to shoot her."

Divorce Is Granted Westernport Man

Rexford Brooks, Westernport, yesterday was granted a divorce from Ethel Myers Brooks in a decree signed by Chief Judge Walter C. Capper. Brooks accused his wife of stabbing him in May 1939. She received custody of their children as well as the husband's interest in their home property under an agreement reached by the couple. Brooks was represented by Edward J. Ryan and Harold E. Naughton was attorney for Mrs. Brooks.

A divorce from Francis H. Koontz has been granted Catherine H. Koontz in a decree signed in circuit court by Associated Judge William A. Huster. Naughton was attorney for Mrs. Koontz and Julius E. Schindler represented the husband.

Divorce Suit Filed

Charging that her husband treated her with cruelty and on July 7, 1943, beat and choked her and ejected her from their home ordering her not to return, Mrs. Laura Aurelia Knocke filed suit in circuit court yesterday for a partial divorce from Leonard Anton Knocke. She is represented by Morgan C. Harris.



HONORED BY DEMOLAY—The NEWS photographer snapped the above picture of three Cumberland men yesterday at the Queen City station just before they boarded a train for Baltimore where the "Legion of Honor of DeMolay" was conferred upon them last night. They are, (left to right), Dr. Albert C. Cook, dentist; Paul M. Fletcher, assistant state's attorney and William J. Armbruster, production manager of the Cumberland Steel Company.

Legion Will Conduct

Honor Roll Service

Ceremony at Bowman's Addition To Be Held Sunday Afternoon

Flintstone Man Held after Chase Over Dirt Roads

State Trooper Fires Bullet into Tire on Speeding Vehicle

Harry L. Morrison, Flintstone, was held in the county jail last night with four motor vehicle charges against him following his arrest at noon yesterday after a sixty-five-mile-an-hour-chase over dirt roads was ended by a bullet fired into a tire on his automobile by State Trooper G. M. Rotruck.

Rotruck said he had been looking for the man since 8:20 p.m. Thursday when he left the scene of a minor accident near Corriganville.

Yesterday morning, the trooper said, he went to Morrison's home and found that he had not been there since Thursday. Returning to Cumberland, Rotruck spotted Morrison's car heading east on Baltimore avenue hill, turned and took up the chase.

Speed over Shade's Lane

Morrison turned to the left at Shade's lane, heading for Nave's cross road, the officer said, adding that he chased him at sixty-five miles an hour with his siren going at full blast.

Twice, Rotruck said, he pulled abreast of Morrison to stop him but both times the Flintstone man swerved toward the state car in an effort to crowd it off the road.

At Nave's cross road, Morrison turned to the right, drove about half a mile, then turned to the left onto a dirt road in back of Hillcrest burial park, according to the trooper.

Shot Hits Tire

Rotruck said he fired two shots from the left window of the car at Morrison's tires but missed. The third shot punctured the trunk above the gasoline tank. The fourth shot punctured the left front tire as the car rounded a left curve.

Morrison jumped from the car and started running up a hill with Rotruck behind him, the latter said, adding that Morrison stopped when he yelled to him to halt.

Taken to the county jail, Morrison is held for hearing in trial magistrates court this morning on charges of leaving the scene of an accident, displaying license tags issued to another car, exceeding the fifty mile speed limit and reckless driving.

The trouble started, Rotruck explained, as the result of a minor accident about a mile south of Corriganville.

The officer said he saw part of the accident but did not realize that Morrison's car hit Tipton's until Tipton and Cook reported it to him. By that time, he added, Morrison had disappeared.

Cook was charged with failing to give the right of way to Tipton and will be given a hearing June 1.

Three Cars Involved

A car operated by James Cook, Route 1, Corriganville, pulled out of a side road at the man's home in front of an automobile operated by George W. Tipton, 210 Fulton street, Cumberland, Rotruck said.

Tipton stopped suddenly to avoid hitting Cook's car and then Morrison's machine hit the back of Tipton's car, Rotruck related, adding that Morrison then drove around both of the other cars and left the scene.

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Four Births Reported

Mr. and Mrs. Humbert Gross, 54, Elder street, announce the birth of a son yesterday afternoon in Allegany hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Grafton Haines, Route 3, Keyser, W. Va., yesterday afternoon in Allegany hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander, of Accident, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday morning in Memorial hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Alt, Valley road, yesterday morning in Allegany hospital.

The council will have a special meeting, Tuesday, June 30. Officers will be elected on July 6.

Boyle in Hospital

County Investigator Terrence J.

Boyle, 10 Independence street, is undergoing treatment in Allegany hospital.

Two Corriganville Firemen Are Hurt In Fall off Truck

Accident Occurs near Fire at Home of Driver of Engine

Two Corriganville firemen were painfully injured and the fire truck slightly damaged late yesterday in an accident within 100 yards of a fire at the home of Maurice Murray, the driver of the truck, who lives on Cash Valley road.

Harry Walters, president of the Corriganville company, said the call to Murray's home came in about 6 p.m. They had almost reached the scene when the truck skidded on gravel on an S curve at the foot of a hill.

Otis Wilkins, 27, standing on the left side of the truck, and Calvin Delbrook, 26, standing on the back, were thrown to the road before the engine struck a fence and stopped just short of going over an embankment, Walters said.

Wilkins and Delbrook were helped back on the truck and rode the rest of the way to the fire. Fire Chief Harry Martz then brought them to Allegany hospital. Wilkins was admitted for treatment of deep lacerations of his left elbow and knee and for abrasions of his left side and both hands. Delbrook was discharged from the hospital after being treated for abrasions of his left side, the front and back of his chest and a deep abrasion of his left hip.

A front fender of the fire truck was slightly damaged.

Seven other firemen were on the truck in addition to the injured men and they and firemen from LaVale, who also were summoned, extinguished the flames that caused only minor damage to Murray's home. LaVale firemen said the damage to the house was confined to a section of the roof about the chimney. Sparks issuing from the chimney, they said, set fire to the wooden shingles.

Smith Is Honored At B. & O. Dinner

Shops Supervisor To Join American Locomotive Works June 1

A farewell dinner in honor of Jack J. Smith, of Baltimore, supervisor of shops on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad system, who leaves June 1 for Schenectady, N.Y., to assume his new duties as assistant to the general manager of the American Locomotive Works.

The question of the reopening of the park swimming pool remains undecided. Officials say sufficient water is available for the opening of the pool but there is little prospect that it will be in operation by Memorial day.

CELANESE POOL WILL BE OPENED TOMORROW FOR ELEVENTH SEASON

Celanese pool will be opened for the 1944 season tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, Hugo Keller, sponsor, announced last evening.

J. Stanley Hunter, member of the Bel Air high school faculty, has been retained as manager, and Raymond "Ike" Law, will be head life guard and swimming instructor.

The pool has a continuous purification system by the Maryland State Department of Health under which permit it is operating. Due to the conservation program the water will be slightly below its normal level.

Admission prices will range from two to four cents higher than last year due to the increase in federal taxes from ten to twenty per cent.

Members of the pool committee for the eleventh season are Arthur G. Fowler, chairman, William Torkington and Gale Townsend.

The pool will be open from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily through Labor day.

Boy Hurt by Truck Reported Recovering In Memorial Hospital

Improvement was reported last night in the condition of Wilcox Hott, Jr., 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox Hott, Route 1, Keyser, W. Va., and he is expected to recover it was reported from Memorial hospital where he was treated.

In addition to the large Texas crop, which is expected to show an increase of nearly fifty per cent over last year, additional quantities are being shipped in from other states, the supervisor said.

The recent acute onion shortage which temporarily prohibited the use of this type of flavoring in meals was caused by a light 1943 crop and heavy military needs, the WPA reports.

K. of C. Here Will Initiate Candidates

Cumberland Council, Knights of Columbus No. 586, will initiate a class of candidates into the First degree of the order, Thursday June 1.

District Deputy Joseph Cosgrove, of Frostburg Council No. 1442, will be in charge of the officers conferring the degree.

An officer of the council said last night another class will probably take the first degree in June prior to conferring the major degrees the latter part of June.

He is a graduate of Romney high and a former football star at that school. He enlisted shortly after his graduation in 1941 and is a motor machinist mate in the navy.

Reaching the finals in cheerleading try-outs were Theodore Lee Kompanek and Wilma Lee Steele, also juniors at Allegany.

Pvt. George Stein Writes Letter About Sightseeing in England

Tells of Visit to Bath Where He Saw Evidence of Roman Occupation

Although stationed with a radio communication crew attached to a chemical combat battalion, "somewhere in England," Pvt. George L. Stein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Stein, 735 Washington street, has some time for sightseeing, according to a recent letter received here.

Pvt. Stein was especially impressed with Bath, where he said he saw "the best remains of Roman occupation still existing in the British Isles." He explained that the "baths" date back to 54 A.D., which was only nine years after the Romans invaded Great Britain; and the hot mineral waters there are, "the only ones in the United Kingdom, and are said to be radioactive as well as 120 degrees." He declared that it was like a Turkish bath to walk into the room, where the overflow from the main Roman bath can be seen, and "the original Roman drains are still carrying off millions of gallons daily."

Old Relics Plentiful

Among the other relics and artifacts Pvt. Stein saw, which he wrote about "were found twenty feet below the present town," were combs, pieces of green glass, safety pins, many coins dating from quite a few B.C. to the Christian era, loaded dice, which he casually remarked "they even used them then," small articles of jewelry, toilet articles and pottery.

In writing of the section of Roman road a "few feet above the level of the baths and to the side of them" he remarked, "the road is still in its original position as discovered, and was the first thing uncovered in the excavations for the baths, whose exact location were unknown, but Roman roads are such a common sight in England that this discovery meant little or nothing to the already baise Englishman."

In describing the baths, several in number and four large ones which were found in 1880, Pvt. Stein explained that "they were invisible from the outside, as an eighteenth century pump room has been built around them, with the baths themselves open to the sky. The pump room has a fountain, where one can drink and from which the main bath can be seen through one of the windows." Dances are held there in a beautiful ball room, with a gorgeous chandelier in the center of the ceiling. A few beautiful tessellated tile pavements are still to be seen at the baths' level. Every step downward towards the baths means going back seventy-five years into history, so rapidly was the soil built up there."

"Bath's abbey is the youngest in England," he continues, "going back only to 1499 and is very interesting from the outside. On both towers opposite the typical ancient door of beautiful English oak are figures in stone climbing a gray stone ladder. I couldn't help noticing that all figures near the bottom of the abbey were well worn and even completely obliterated, as well as blackened by time, but as one's glance ascended to the top of the abbey, everything gained a clearer, sharper focus."

Sees Many Fine Books

Pvt. Stein also mentioned the many fine books he had seen that he would like to purchase, but explained that it is so difficult to get string, cord, wrapping paper and boxes to send anything, that he has only bought a book on British butterflies and one on areas proposed to be set aside as national parks after the war.

Although not permitted to say where he was stationed, Pvt. Stein wrote that "it doesn't get dark over here now until after 10:30 p.m. and before 6 the sky begins to lighten." The letter was written May 7 and Pvt. Stein described the flower gardens saying that the "narcissi are finished blooming, but the tulips, wallflowers and cowslips (primroses) continue to be dominant. Occasionally one sees beautiful red and pink rhododendrons, and I saw the first Oriental poppies in bloom today. German bearded Iris and peonies are also beginning to bloom. I saw a beautiful display of Ballis, (English daisy) in the city zoo."

As a result there are plenty of onions for all who want them and for all purposes, and Cumberland housewives can look forward to wartime meals flavored without salt, Frazer said.

Onions, he pointed out, contain some vitamin B-1 and some small amounts of Vitamin C and minerals, but their chief virtue is their flavor, Frazer pointed out.

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